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SUBJECT: Search of Ostashkov/Gorodomlya Island, USSR

REFERENCE: Requirement [redacted] NPIC Project No. N942-64

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1. In response to the reference requirement NPIC searched and analyzed all available photographic coverage of Gorodomlya Island (57-12N 33-04E) with specific concentration on the suspect N11-88 Branch Facility. The area was covered by Mission: [redacted]

[redacted] The suspect facility appeared inactive on all coverage. Several additional missions covered the general island area, however, it was not observable due to heavy cloud cover. A comprehensive detailed study of the facility is precluded by generally poor quality, small scale and obliquity of available coverage, however, all available coverage indicates the island is inactive.

2. A single air facility is located on Gorodomlya Island, and comprises a sod landing strip, approximately 2200 x 340 feet, NNE/SSW, probably serviceable. There is no indication, however, that the facility is in use. No aircraft were observed.

3. A search of Ostashkov (57-09N 33-05E) and a radius of 20 nautical miles (nm) from its center revealed no significant or active air facility. A possible sod landing strip approximately 2400 x 600 feet, E/W, appears inactive, is located 2 nm southeast of Ostashkov. No aircraft were observed.

4. A search of Torzhok (57-02N 35-00E) and in the vicinity of Torzhok Airfield revealed no evidence of the type of facility situated on Gorodomlya Island.

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